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Edwin M. Stanton.

HIS HIGH AND DISTINGUISHED SERVICES—PERSONAL RECOLLECTIONS OF AN INTIMATE FRIEND

Judge William Johnson, of Cincinnati, delivered before the Bar of that city on Friday an able, thorough and noteworthy address upon the life, services and character of Edwin M Stanton, from which we make the following extracts

HIS CALUMNIATORS

Instead of following our departed brother through a practice of five and twenty years, and depicting scenes familiar to every lawyer allow me to notice some of the bad things that have been said of him since he came to have enemies I have heard him accused of personal and selfish ambition If he had not served his country and his race so well in the time of trial, I should have said that the lack of ambition was a defect in his character During the long protracted reign of the Democratic party he might have anything he desired They were constantly placing his inferiors in high places, and would have been glad to do themselves honor by numbering him among them But he never sought for any office or place of honor in this life, and it his country had not stood on the brink of destruction, and required his aid he never would have held such a place Another charge made against Mr Stanton is that he was a coarse harsh cruel man He had improved but little by the training of dancing masters He had but little of the *suaviter in modo* He had a contempt for idle ceremonies, and was sometimes brusque in his manners, but within the outer husk there never was a kindlier nature or a heart that sympathized with human suffering more I remember well when he and I were students how he and Miss Angie Goodknow who is many years in Heaven I trust entered into a league and organized a little corps of brothers and sisters of charity to watch with the sick and relieve the suffering of the poor

MORAL HEROISM

For myself, I should be meaner than his slanderers if I could ever forget the long protracted fever through which he watched with me night after night, and cooled my parched lips and sponged my burning temples and administered to all my wants Nor can I forget that when the Asiatic cholera raged in the city of Columbus, during his residence there, and when men's hearts failed them for fear he was found in the chambers of the dying and the dead where neither priest nor Levite dared to stay struggling to save, and soothing the sufferings of the cholera patient. In speaking of the peculiarities of the man a few years ago a gentleman informed me that while Mr Stanton made his home with his mother in Steubenville and practiced law in Pittsburgh, passing backward and forward by steamboat he had known him one evening when he came on board at Steubenville to find a poor Irishman who had fallen through a hatchway and broken his leg lying on the forecastle without any one to take care of him He asked the Captain what it meant and was informed that the Irishman lived in Pittsburgh, and that when he got there he could get his broken leg attended to Without more ado he went to the carpenter's chest and borrowed a saw and an ax took a stick of cord wood and cut and split it up sat down on the capstan and with his pocket knife shaved out a set of splints, went to his stateroom, and without saying by your leave took the sheet from his bed tore it up into bandages and rollers, ordered a few sturdy sailors into the service to attend the limb, reduced the broken bone, and plied the splints and bandages then went to the cook room and ordered a jug of vinegar and water to steep the broken limb then sat down beside the sufferer watched with him and bathed his limb until the boat arrived at Pittsburgh, a distance of ninety miles and then hired a hack to convey him home And if I am not greatly misinformed the records will show, and history will tell the story that in his official relations as Secretary of War, he made like provisions for the wounded rebels who were captured and carried to the hospitals of the United States Tell me not, then, that this man was either coarse harsh or cruel, because I know better I know that the very reverse was his real character

BUCHANAN'S CABINET

Another charge which I have heard made against Mr Stanton is that while in confidential relations with Mr Buchanan he communicated the secrets of the Administration to Mr Seward then a leading Republican in the Senate This is no doubt true, substantially, but then it suggests an historic inquiry as to how Mr Stanton came to Mr Buchanan's Cabinet This I gather from three sources The recorded history of the times the repeated conversations I have had with Mr Stanton, the account given by Mr Stanton's brother in law, Attorney-General Wolcott, who was on the spot and related the facts to my informant, Judge Brinkerhoff, a few days after they occurred Mr Buchanan's Cabinet was composed as follows Cass in the State Department, Cobb in the Treasury Department, Black in the Law Department Thompson in the Interior Department, Floyd in the War Department, Toucey in the Navy Department, and Holt in the Postal Department In this Cabinet there were traitors both active and passive Buchanan was not a traitor himself, but a weak irresolute old man, bound hand and foot by the active traitors in his Cabinet Floyd had dispersed the army to different and distant points so as to make it unavailable at the capital Toucey had scattered the navy to different and distant parts of the world so that it could not be collected for months Thompson had stolen about $8,000 000 of Indian bonds, and Cobb had the Treasury empty, and the rebels were in arms The signs of the times were appalling Cass saw nothing before him but political ruin and the ghost of the Quintuple Treaty lay heavy on his soul He resigned his office and Black was appointed in his place, leaving the Law Department vacant In addition to other causes of alarm, Floyd had attempted to ship all the heavy ordnance manufactured at Pittsburg to the South, and was only checked by the rising up of the people and sending a deputation of citizens to Washington to inform the President and enter their protest against the movement In this extremity Mr Buchanan sent for Mr Stanton, and asked him what he thought of the signs of the times The answer was prompt and characteristic "You are sleeping on the crater of a volcano The ground is moved all around and under you and ready to explode, and, without prompt and energetic action, you will be the last President of the United States" 'Mr Stanton,' said the feeble old man, 'for God's sake come and help me The Attorney General's office is vacant, will you accept it." 'If you desire my help, I will,' was the reply The first day was passed in ferreting out the grand larceny of Thompson on the Indian fund, and when the Cabinet met in the evening, Mr Stanton was late in coming When he entered, Floyd was pacing the room, and gesticulating furiously in the tempest and whirlwind of speech against somebody who, had cut down his flagstaff, broke off the trunions of his guns and cut up and burned his wheels and so on Mr Stanton sat down without uttering a word or pretending to understand what was up When Floyd made a pause, the question was propounded, 'Mr Attorney General, what do you think about it?' "About what?" said Mr Stanton 'About Major Anderson breaking up camp at Fort Moultrie, and going into Fort Sumpter?' "The most glorious event since the 8th of January, 1815 It has stirred the heart of every loyal man in the nation 'What," said Floyd, "an officer of the army violating his orders?" "What orders?" said Stanton "Did you, Mr President, give orders to Major Anderson to remain in that old dilapidated fort, surrounded by enemies, when a stronger one was available?" "No," said Mr. Buchanan, "I gave no such orders" "Did you know of any such orders being given?" "No, Sir, I never heard of it before." "Then," said Stanton, 'the man that gave such orders ought to be hanged on a gallows higher than Haman's." Here Thompson interposed to rebuke the insolence of so new a man in the Cabinet "Mr Thompson," said Stanton, "I have been here long enough to find out that you have stolen $8 000,000 of Indian bonds, and expect to stay here till I see you punished for it" And then the tempest rose and raged till midnight, when the meeting broke up, and next morning Cobb, Floyd and Thompson resigned. And thus in a single night this young Hercules in the cradle had choked to death three boa constrictors who had coiled around and were pressing to death his feeble old friend There were now at least two honest men—Stanton and Holt—in the Cabinet, and three vacancies. How these vacancies were filled I do not recollect, further than this, that through the influence of Stanton and Holt, John A Dix was placed at the head of the Treasury Department, and no man ever had three more powerful or reliable supporters. There is reason to believe, and I for one do believe, that, but for the bold stand taken by Mr Stanton on that memorable evening, Mr Lincoln never would have been inaugurated in Washington The knives of the assassins were already whetted, and he would inevitably have been murdered But the active traitors being driven from the Cabinet, General Scott collected together a few soldiers and marines to the number of about a thousand and secured the peaceful inauguration of the new President If it is true, as I believe it is, that Mr Stanton kept loyal men in the Senate posted as to what disloyal men in the Cabinet strove to do his conduct is worthy of all commendation In doing this, so far from betraying Buchanan he saved him from utter ruin and what was far more his duty, and far more important in its results, he saved the country from ruin When Mr Buchanan's term of office expired, Mr Stanton went back to the labors of his profession, and remained in private life till he was called to take a place in Mr Lincoln's Cabinet Mr Lincoln had taken his measure at the Bar and knew his strength, he had taken counsel of him and knew his patriotism He invited him to his Cabinet not for his politics, but for his power and patriotism, and he was not disappointed

VIEWS ON EMANCIPATION

What influence Mr Stanton exercised on the mind of the President it is hard to say That act of President Lincoln which became a military necessity, and was the turning point in the war I knew personally to be favored by him a considerable time before the action of the President In his own house we discussed both the lawfulness and the policy of setting the slaves free by Executive proclamation — Neither of us doubted that the act would be lawful and as to the expediency, he said that slavery had cost us dear enough already—that both Whigs and Democrats had truckled to it long enough—that it had been a bone of contention from the beginning, and even if the rebellion was put down, we could have no lasting peace so long as this evil existed I know personally that he favored the Emancipation Proclamation, from the additional fact, that, in a conversation I had with him he animadverted with great severity on the conduct of a distinguished citizen who urged President Lincoln to revoke this proclamation after it was issued The abolishment of slavery was not a new idea with Mr Stanton He always desired its peaceful accomplishment But he loved peace, and like the rest of us he had cried peace peace when there was no peace" At length the slaveholder blindly plunged the country in war President Lincoln avowed that unless the rebels should repent before the 1st day of January, 1863 he would proclaim freedom to the slaves The day was at hand and the rebels refused to repent The signs of the times were manifest, and many a stout heart melted with fear But Lincoln's vow was recorded in heaven and the finger of God on the dial plate of time pointed to the 1st day of January The 1st of January came and with his lion hearted War Minister at his side like the Apocalyptic angel, he rose up and poured the vial of God's wrath on the seat of the beast, and, amid the blasphemies of hell and the allelujas of Heaven the monster expired forever After this things looked better The freedman joined the army, and whether in the ditch or on the battle field did his full share of the work till the close of the war Nay, he did more By his humanity and gallant consideration for age and sex and infancy he gave the lie to the oft repeated prediction that if ever he gained his freedom he would cut the throats of white people, men, women, and children The fortunes of war were still various; our armies were not always successful But in prosperity and in adversity with a faith that never wavered, with a hope that never flagged, and with a courage that never quailed—believing all things, hoping all things, enduring all things for his country—Mr Stanton stood at his post, by day and by night till the standards of rebellion were lowered, and the great leader sued for peace And then it was in the last meeting President Lincoln ever had with his Cabinet, that they mingled tears of joy and gratitude for the return of peace

HE DIED FOR HIS COUNTRY

Since the return of peace, no man more sincerely desired the return of amity, as well as peace, than Mr Stanton but he desired peace and amity on terms rational and enduring, and watched with interest each and every State coming back to the Union, and he had the good fortune to see his heart's desire accomplished before he died In this he was peculiarly happy He had sacrificed his life for his country as clearly and emphatically as if he had fallen side by side with Lyon in Missouri or with Sedgwick in the Wilderness but more happy than either in this that he lived to see if not to gather, the fruits of their united toil

HIS SCORN FOR MERE WEALTH

I cannot withhold a tribute of respect and admiration for the honest scorn with which this man regarded mere wealth and its corrupting influences Not that he ever was known to appeal to the prejudices of the poor against the rich To a man of his mold of mind ostentation of poverty and ostentation of wealth were equally contemptible He did not live in a hogshead like Diogenes, nor run barefoot like Socrates, nor boast of his poverty like Aristides He lived like a republican gentleman, in republican simplicity Plain food, plain apparel, plain furniture, plain everything He had abundant ability and opportunity to be rich if he had regarded that as the chief aim of man and what astonishes every body is that in an age when hero worship has given place to an insane adoration of wealth when royalty come down to do homage to men who have grasped and held ten thousand times their share of God's bounty to mankind, and when other public men are amassing fortunes, building palaces, and usurping the public domain, this man should have had the honesty to die poor Nor is it easy for selfish minds to conceive how any of the first, if not one of the first lawyers of the nation should have practiced for five and-twenty years without any wasteful habits and have nothing to leave behind him but his dwelling house and his private library It will be still more difficult for greedy minded men to see why it was that, after his term of office had expired and he had nothing to give in return—after he had worn out his life in the service of his country, and was looking forward to the day when his family should be left alone and helpless in the world, he should have refused a voluntary gift of $100 000, from men who could have spared it well enough, and wished to do themselves the honor of giving it to him Mr Stanton cared less what the world thought or said of him than any man I ever knew But he cared a great deal what the world thought and said about his country, and he would not have it either thought or said that a public man of the United States had served his country for money. He was incorruptible in life and in death he left us a lesson which we would do well to teach to our children Come hither ye pagan worshippers of dust and rags Leave off building monuments to the memory of curmudgeons. Give me a rock of granite and lay it on this man's grave, but take heed that ye lift not up thy tool upon it lest pollute it. Let me engrave upon it with a pen of iron this simple text—"Here lieth the dust of the incorruptible Edwin M. Stanton."

Traffic in Children in England.

From the London Daily News, Nov. 26.

It may be feared that the practice of parents selling their children to wandering musicians, which certain continental governments are now taking steps to check, may be introduced into this country Yesterday the Board of Guardians in Wolverhampton had before them a case which it may be well hoped is without precedent here, notwithstanding that the business air which pervades the whole transaction would point to an opposite conclusion Some days before, a girl of eight years, who had learned to play a mouth instrument, and was traveling with a musician, who is supposed to be a Swede named France Wolff, appealed for protection to two gentlemen, residents of Wolverhampton, who were passing along the Bilston road (a highway on the fringe of the town,) just as she had been beaten off by Wolff The gentleman at once took the child to the Union There it transpired that her home was Exeter, that she was the daughter of a widow, who had been prevailed upon by Wolff to let him have the child at even as early an age as four years, since which time she had not seen her mother; nor had Wolff gone back to Exeter during any part of that time They travelled from town to town, and Wolff had a house at Kate's Hill, Dudley, but he was seldom there She alone was now travelling with him At one time he had as many as four girls wandering with him The clerk to the guardians communicated with Exeter, and yesterday a letter was read to the board, which the child's mother had written. The poor woman wrote by the name of Mary Harris, said that she was a widow and in service, and expressed herself as 'truly thankful that she had heard of her child at last She had placed the case in the hands of the Exeter police, but had not had any tidings for two years At that time Wolff sent her a document to sign, promising to give her £26 for the child, but she refused till she knew if it was well treated' Wolff, however, neither took the child to her nor would he pay her railway fare to them, either of which she expressed her wish for him to do She begged the guardians to allow her daughter to remain in the workhouse 'till she could raise money enough to get her restored to her" In proof that Wolff had "no right to the child," she enclosed the document he had wished her to sign Here it is "I, Mary Harris (widow), do hereby agree to give my only daughter, Mary Ann Harris to France Wolff, to take her as his own child, and to learn his own profession, from January the 1st, 1867 until January the 1st, 1877, after which time my child shall have her free will to stay or leave the said France Wolff, and in case of no fresh agreement of both parties France Wolff will be compelled to give my daughter, Mary Ann Harris, necessary and respectable clothing, and £25 English money, which the said France Wolff will have to pay her for her own benefit. Witness—signed by my own hand—signed this first day of January, 1867 France Wolff, professor of music, singing and dancing' It is easy to understand how destitute mothers may be imposed upon by such sham 'agreements" and children thereby become hopeless outcasts Of course, in this case the child remains for a time in care of the Wolverhampton guardians

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Titusville Morning Herald.

Wednesday, January 12, 1870.

Christianity in Madagascar.

The report, which comes by way of England, that the Queen of Madagascar and her nobles have embraced Christianity and burned their idols, will be read with deep interest by all who take part in furthering missionary efforts among the heathen.

Protestant as well as Roman Catholic missionaries have for many years labored to spread Christianity in Madagascar. The latter have been aided by the arms of the French, which, after all, did not help them, as they have been suspected of uniting political with religious aims.

The English Wesleyans and the Church Missionary Society have for many years labored in Madagascar with varying success. Radama, the greatest ruler the island has had, was a Christian, and had he lived would probably have introduced the arts of civilization among his people. After his death the Queen, Ravanalona, an ambitious and superstitious woman, headed the party of idol worshippers, and tried to put down Christianity by a series of long continued and most cruel prosecutions.

But these persecutions did not exterminate the Christians. When the Rev. Mr. Ellis visited the island and its capital some years ago, he found, even among the nobles, men and women who cherished the Bible and adhered to the Christian faith. The story of their persecutions and sufferings makes a touching chapter in the history of Christian martyrdoms.

The following article from the London *Daily News*, gives some striking features of the religious revolution:

A remarkable religious revolution has taken place in Madagascar. We learn from a letter from Rev. W. Pool, dated from the capital on the 23d of September, and published in a weekly cotemporary, that the queen has had the royal idols publicly burned, that she and her aristocracy have embraced Christianity, and that the whole province of Imerina, in which the capital is situated, has followed the example of the government. The queen, embraced Christianity early in the year, and has all the summer been building a chapel royal. Meanwhile, the wooden fence around the temple of the great national idol had been pulled down, and the priests assumed a threatening aspect, when hinting that their god had medicine which would avenge him on the heretic sovereign. On the 8th of September they came in force to the capital to claim their rights as nobles. A council was called, and it was decided to send the chief secretory of state and other high officials to the sacred village, seven miles from the capital, and burn the idol before its keepers returned. They set off the same afternoon, and by authority from the prime minister seized the idol's house. The wood of the fallen fence was collected, and a fire was made, and the contents of the temple were brought out to be burned. First, the long cane carried before the idol in processions was thrown in; then twelve bullocks' horns from which incense or holy water has been sprinkled; then three scarlet umbrellas and the silk robe worn over the idol by the keeper who carried it. Then came the idol's case—the trunk of a small tree hollowed and fitted with a cover, and last of all the idol itself. Hardly any of the present generation had seen the god, and great was the surprise when he was produced. Two pieces of scarlet silk about three feet long and three inches wide, with a small piece of wood about as big as a man's thumb inserted in the middle between them, so that the silk formed as it were two wings, was the great god of Madagascar, whose touch was sanctifying, and whose nearness was preservative. "You cannot burn him, he is a god" said the people. "If he be a god he will no burn," said the officers; "we are going to try," and held it on a stick in the fire, that the people might see it as it was consumed. The victory was complete. Next day four other idols shared the same fate, and the rest followed. One was a little bag of sand; another consisted of three round pieces of wood united by a silver chain. The people looked on in wonder, and when the process was over, seeing that they had now no gods to worship, they sent to the queen to ask what they were to worship for the future. The government, says the *English Independent*, adding to the information contained in Mr. Pool's letter, thereupon appealed to the native Christians to send Christian teachers, and they at once responded. "It was found that of 280 towns and villages in Imerino, 120 already had Christian churches, and teachers were at once found for all the rest. This movement, which is remarkable for its purely native origin, is another proof that in certain stages of civilization nations may be converted by authority. The conversion of Madagascar has been accomplished in the nineteenth century much as that of the Saxons was accomplished in the sixth. The iconoclast is the reformer's forerunner. To overthrow a fetish worship the fetish itself must first be destroyed.

GIRDLING THE EARTH WITH CABLES.—Before another year rolls around the world will be encircled with telegraph wires. Four links of extended telegraph cable connect England with India and the Isles of the sea below Further India, and now a fifth is to be laid from the Straits of Malacca to Hong Kong. The lines now laid are the Falmouth, Gibraltar and Malta; the Anglo-Mediterranean, the British Indian Submarine, and British Indian Extension Telegraph Companies. From a station of the latter, a cable 1,610 miles long will reach China, and so the world will be nearly belted, and will be virtually so when Japan is reached. On this cable now proposed there will be a station in Cochin China. Another section proposed, of 1,000 miles in length, will be from Hong Kong to Shanghai, touching at the treaty ports. The Hong Kong section is to cost £508,000. The capital stock of the company is to be paid up by November, 1870, and the cable is to be fully laid by June, 1871.

THE INCOME TAX.—The assessment of the tax upon the incomes of 1869 will soon commence, and it is probable that the present law will govern in the matter for the present year. The correspondent of the Chicago *Tribune* writes that there is a good deal of talk among members of Congress about the income tax, and some of them are receiving letters asking if the tax must be paid this year. The law is so plain that it would seem as if no one need raise this question. Taxes cannot be paid on this year's income, but they must be laid this spring on last year's income, and the Revenue Bureau is now having the proper blanks printed. It is not yet certain what action the Ways and Means Committee will recommend in reference to the continuation of the tax, but it is not at all likely Congress will re-enact it at 5 per cent. The probabilities are that 3 per cent. will finally be laid, with a change in exemptions.

THE TROTTING CONGRESS.—This Congress will meet at the Everett House, N. Y., on Wednesday, Feb. 2d. The *Turf, Field and Farm* says:

It is immaterial to us how much the sharpers prey upon one another, as long as they keep without the circle of true turfites. They have been tolerably well kept out; and the Trotting Congress, bringing the associations throughout the country together in unity, will now so far exclude all opportunity for display of petty games that a new leaf will be turned over by them, or else they will be obliged to cease troubling true sportsmen. Hereafter a driver or owner will have nothing to gain by sharp practices, and everything to lose; for if he defy the judges of one Association he defies them all, thus accepting their ultimatum of being ruled off the tracks. This meeting will form an era in the trotting world, and, if carried out in all its intents, as it most assuredly will be, will place the noble sport upon a basis that will be beyond any efforts of a few sharpers to effect their petty games. Heretofore all they have done has not been of so much moment or weight, except to be an irritable matter to us, and a handle for outsiders to pour forth a declamation upon the degeneration of the turf.

BY TELEGRAPH.

ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTS

By the Western Union Line.

NEWS BY CABLE.

French and English Cables.

LONDON, Jan. 11.

Negotiations for the consolidation of interests between the Anglo-American and French Cable Companies are progressing favorably. It has already been settled that the two companies will work harmoniously together, capitalize their aggregate receipts and divide the profits upon an agreed basis, even though negotiations for still closer arrangements should fail.

Newspaper Seized.

PARIS, Jan. 11.

The office of the Marsellaise, Henri Rochefort's newspaper, has been seized by order of the Government.

Corps Legislatif.

PARIS, Jan. 11.

At a sitting of the Corps Legislatif to-day M. Enyatmon Paroux proposed that the members of the Imperial family be rendered amenable to the law. He said he had no intention of creating trouble; he wished simply to do away with unlawful exceptions.

M. Rochefort referred in bitter terms to the murder of Victor Noir. He said Noir was one of the people and the people should judge his murderer, who, though a cousin to the Emperor, must not be allowed to escape.

M. Ollivier, in reply, promised they should have justice. In the course of his speech he used these words: "We are justice, law, moderation; if you force us we will be power.

A communication from the Procureur Imperial was laid before the Chamber demanding the arraignment of Deputy Henri Rochefort for outrage against the Emperor, and for exciting disorder and violence. The demand was referred to a committee.

M. Ollivier, with the approval of the Emperor, has issued an order permitting the free return to France of Ledru Rollin, and other persons in the same position.

The Gold Room.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.

Affairs in the Gold Room were thrown into great confusion this afternoon by a refusal of the Gold Exchange Bank, the clearing house of the Gold Room, to clear the contracts which mature to-day. The reason for refusal was that a leading firm, Marvin Bros. & Co., who had got $900,000 gold going into the bank, refused to deposit the same until a certified check was given them for the currency coming to them. A like case occurred yesterday with the firm of Trevar & Colgate. Marvin Bros. and Trevar & Colgate made their demands because of a want of confidence in the bank. They, as dealers, would be obliged to deposit their gold checks at half past twelve o'clock and could not receive the money coming to them before half-past 1, or until all the statements had been adjusted. The Gold Exchange went into executive session this evening, and resolutions were offered to expel Tasker & Marvin, of Marvin Bros. & Co, for violation of the rules of the Exchange. The introduction of the resolutions was followed by angry and excited discussion, after which an amendment to the resolutions was offered to expell Colgate, of the firm of Colgate & Trevar, which was not acted on. The vote of expulsion of Marvin was taken by yeas and nays; whole vote 186, of which 124 were in favor of expulsion, the requisite two-thirds. After the result was known a resolution was passed that the clearings through the Gold Exchange Bank be resumed to-morrow, but that all contracts with Marvin Bros. & Co. be thrown out. The excitement in the room was very great.

General News.

Thirty wholesale liquor establishments and distilleries were seized to-day by Collector Bailey, of the Third Long Island District, for alleged defrauding the Government of tax on whisky by making false returns. Among the establishments seized were those of Gordet, Fellows & McMillan, Jno. M. Foracy, and Samuel N. Pike.

Caldwell the alleged leader in the brawback frauds, is now on his way here from Canada.

The journeymen piano forte makers threaten to strike, in consequence of a contemplated reduction of wages.

Forty-first Congress---Second Session.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.

Mr. Sumner gave notice of a bill to authorize the refunding and consolidation of the national debt, to extend banking facilities and to establish specie payments.

Mr. Sherman, from the Committee on Finance, reported as a substitute for all propositions relating to national currency headed "a bill to provide a national currency of coin rate and to equalize distribution of circulating notes."

Mr. Pratt introduced a bill giving to State Courts concurrent jurisdiction with District Courts of the United States in cases of maritime contracts upon navigable rivers and waters above ebb and flow of tides.

Upon the expiration of the morning hour the Virginian bill was again taken up, the question being upon the motion of Wilson to postpone. Debate ensued between Sumner, Stewart, Trumbull and Yates as to the necessity of further time for consideration before taking action on the question. The question being put to motion was not agreed to.

Pending the amendment offered by Drake, to deprive the State of representation and remand it to its present condition in the event of the Legislature rescinding its ratification of the Fifteenth Amendment, then came up, and a lengthy discussion followed. Trumbull, Howard and Williams were among those who opposed, and Morton among those who favored the amendment. No action taken.

A message from the President of the United States was received vetoing the act looking to extension of the patent of Rollins White. The message was read, laid on the table, and ordered to be printed.

The Senate went into executive session and shortly after adjourned.

House.

After some proceedings relative to the vote of yesterday on the Virginia case, Mr. Bingham withdrew his bill, intending to offer it as a substitute for that of the Committee on Reconstruction, which was reported by Mr. Farnsworth. After the bill was read he moved it be printed and postponed till to-morrow morning, and said he was instructed by the committee to allow liberal latitude in the way of amendments and debate.

Mr. Bingham offered his bill as a substitute.

Mr. Brooks said in his opinion no appropriation bill should be sacrificed to fill a bill.

Mr. Farnsworth did not propose to have any debate on the bill at present, and renewed his motion to have it printed and recommitted, announcing it was so ordered.

Mr. Bingham's substitute was also ordered printed.

Mr. Garfield, preliminary to the gold investigation, offered a resolution that when witnesses are summoned by letter or telegraph no fees for summoning shall be allowed beyond the amount of expense incurred, to be verified under oath. Adopted.

Mr. Logan reported a bill to provide for issuing artificial limbs to disabled soldiers. Passed.

The House went into committee for general debate and was addressed by Mr. Kelley in criticism of the report of Special Commissioner Wells.

Adjourned.

Outrageous Proceedings.

MONTREAL, Jan. 11.

Last night Father Cheniquy again preached in the French Protestant church, which was crowded to excess. A large number of roughs congregated outside and kept up a continued yelling up to the close of the service, and several stones were thrown through the windows of the church. The police charged upon the mob and scattered them, and afterwards escorted Cheniquy through the crowd and guarded the building from further violence. No one hurt. Inside the church the audience was quiet and orderly.

Gov. Randolph's Message.

TRENTON, N. J., Jan. 11.

Gov. Randolph's message shows an excess of receipts over all expenditures of the State and assets enough in hand to pay all the debt of the State. He says: The Stevens battery is being rapidly completed and will be the most formidable war vessel extant. He opposes the Fifteenth Amendment and favors a restriction of suffrage by some simple, reasonable, but intelligent qualification.

Cuba.

HAVANA, Jan. 11.

Numerous engagements between Government troops and the insurgents are reported near Puerto Principe in the Cinco Villas District. The journals report many insurgents surrendering.

Prohibitory Law.

BOSTON, Jan. 11.

The Chief of Police reports 2,000 liquor shops run the past year in spite of the prohibitory law.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Sales and Re-Sales of Crude Petroleum, Free on Cars in the Oil Region, Jan. 11, 1870.

500 bbls at Rouseville, at	4.35
250 bbls at Rouseville, at	4.30
500 bbls at Rouseville, at	4.40
500 bbls at Petroleum Centre, on pt.	
500 bbls at Gregg's Switch, at	5.30
500 bbls at Miller, at	4.30
1000 bbls at Miller, at	4.35
1000 at Miller or Titusville, on pt.	
1000 bbls at Titusville, 46 gr. at	4.45
5000 bbls B. O. all 1870 on B. O. cars at Oil City, at	6.25

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE MORNING HERALD, TITUSVILLE, Jan. 11, 1870—8 P. M.

The tendency of prices on the creek this morning was upward, though the demand was moderate, and before noon there were buyers at Miller and Titusville, at $4.37½; and for Petroleum Center oil, at $1.45. The lighter gravities at Rouseville also advanced, sales being made up to $4.40. Under large orders from New York prices on the Upper creek advanced materially during the afternoon, and closed without sellers, at $4.45. There were considerable sales at prices ranging from $4.35 to $4.45, but at the close $4.45 was bid. There was also an advance on the Lower creek and during the latter part of the afternoon at $1.50 and $1.55 were offered for 46 to 48 gravity, without finding sellers. In this district there were no offerings of round lots under $4.65, and some holders were out of the market at anything less than $4.75. On the Upper creek the offerings were fair during the morning, but in the afternoon and particularly toward the close they were light. There was some demand for future deliveries. There was one sale at $6.25 for buyers' 1870, broad gauge delivery, at Oil City, but sellers generally asked twenty-five cents advance on that price. The feeling among all classes on the creek is now in favor of a rise, and most of the dealers seem to be on the "bull" side. The sales to-day were 15,250 barrels and included 8,000 for New York, 2,250 for Cleveland, 500 for Boston, and 5000 on speculation.

New York Oil Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11—2 30 p. m.

PETROLEUM—Strong. Crude in bulk, 16¾@17c. Refined, S W on spot 31½c last half January 31½@31½c.

Philadelphia Oil Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 11—3 p. m.

PETROLEUM—Refined for immediate delivery 31c; for March to December lines, 33c.

This market is active.

Cleveland Oil Market.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 11.

Petroleum—More inquiry for Refined and firmer, held 25¾@26 in large lots.

Rotterdam Petroleum Circular.

ROTTERDAM, Dec. 18, 1869.

Prices have indeed receded a little further this week, but the demand soon revided at the reduction, so that transactions have not been unimportant.

The article remains scarce for immediate delivery, as the arrivals, which come to hand, are either sold afloat, or kept out of the market.

We quote to-day for "round parcels," delivery to be taken at the wharf at Feyenoord.

	IN BOND.
Prime White	28½ @ f —
White	28¼ @ —

The arrivals of the week embrace 4,210 bbls per Queen of the Fleet, which had been entirely sold afloat, and 2,050 bbls. per Charles Henry, which are being stored for American account, as the same are not on sale at the present currency.

Several parcels changed hands by resale out out of cargo ex-Queen of the Fleet, for delivery ex ship, at f 28¼@28 in bond, and further purchases can be made at the latter figure in lots of 70@100 bbls.

An aggregate quantity of about 2,700 barrels has been disposed of afloat at f 27½@f 27¾ in bond, according to probable time of arrival. We can offer to sell ex James Ives (arrived at Helvoetsluis to-day) in lots of at least 25 @ 50 bbls at f 27¾.

December delivery f 28¾ in bond, January-March f 27 in bond. Buyers offer at the latter price, whilst sellers might probably be to in f for this position at f 27¾ in bond.

	BBLS	CASES
Deliveries from 13 to 18 Dec	951 bbls	
Stock on hand in bonded store to-day	1,547	28,870
On board the Queen of the Fleet and James Henry	6,080	
*Arrived per James Ives	4,100	
Expected per Helene	2,337 (transit)	
" " Sarah Pyssa	2,710	
" " Helene	5,000	
" " Hans George	2,300	
" " Kate	4,700	
Total	28,281	23,870

Against about 30,651 barrels in 1868
" " 15,105 " 1867
—*of which there was 1,500 bbls. in transit.

Total stock on hand, shipments afloat and loading.

At Bremen on the 15th Dec	ab't.	122,007 Bbls
	"	4,646 Cas's
Antwerp 11th Dec	ab't	78,000 Bbls
	"	134,000 Cas's
Hamburg 9th Dec	"	61,740 Bbls
Rotterdam, this day	ab't	28,281 Bbls
	"	23,876 Cas's
Total bbls	ab't	290,031
Total Cases	ab't	161,522

Against about bbls 263,972, and about 70,586 cases in 1868.

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Cleveland Produce Market.

CLEVELAND, Jan. 11.

WHEAT—No transactions and the market nominal, offered $1 11.

CORN—Dull and entirely nominal. We can give no figures for either old or new.

OATS—Dull and inactive, holders asking 50c for, No 1 State.

RYE—Dull and inactive, held at 80@90c for State.

BARLEY—Very dull, the nominal rates are 90c @ $1 00 for State and Canada.

Toledo Produce Market.

TOLEDO, Jan. 11.

FLOUR—Dull.

WHEAT—Dull and regular, White Michigan $102¾. Amber, $1 03¾c, No 1 red, $1 03, No 2 do $1 02.

CORN—¾c lower, new 75c, no grade 1½c lower, held at 64c.

OATS—Shade lower, No 1, held at 48c; No 2, 45c.

DRESSED HOGS—Without decided change, range from 10¼@11¾c.

Cincinnati Produce Market.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 11.

FLOUR—Unchanged, family $5 50@5 55.

WHEAT—Quiet at $1 12.

CORN—Firm at 80@81c.

OATS—Held at 50@55c.

RYE—Firmer and prices higher; No 1, 93@94c.

BARLEY—Nominally unchanged.

WHISKY—Dull at $93.

COTTON—Dull, Middlings, 24c.

HOGS—Dull, live $9 25@9 50; dressed, $11@11 50; green meats dull; shoulders, 13½c; sides, 12¾c@12¾c.

HAMS—Held at 11¾@15c.

LARD—Dull at 15¾@15¾c steam, and 16¼c for kettle.

BULK MEATS—Dull; shoulders 11¼c; sides, 14¾c for clear rib and sides packed.

BACON—Dull; shoulders, 13c, sides, 15¼c and 16c for clear rib.

PORK—Mess dull, held at $27.25@27 50.

BUTTER—Unchanged, at 21@24c.

CHEESE—Held at 17¾@18c.

LINSEED OIL—Firm at 90@91c.

LARD OIL—Held at $1 48@1 50.

PETROLEUM—Dull, Refined, 30@31c.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, Jan. 11.

FLOUR—Dull at $3 75@4 50 for spring extra.

WHEAT—Dull; No 1 at $1 81@1 81¼c; No 2 advanced ¼c; sales at 78¾@79c, closing nominal at 79¾@79¾c. This afternoon the Market was dull.

CORN—Quiet, ¼@¾c lower; No 2 sold 71¾@73c for regular and fresh receipts, closing at 71¾@71¾c.

Money and Stock Markets.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.

Money was very active after the troubles at the Gold Exchange Bank, and for a time call loans were sharp at 7 ⅌ cent. currency to 7 ⅌ cent coin. Toward the close of banking hours, however, matters were more settled and money accessible at legal rates.

Discounts quiet at 8 to 10 ⅌ cent.

Sterling dull at 108¾@108¾.

GOLD—Heavy. Opened at $1 22¾ and closed at $1 22¾.

Governments steady.

Coup. '81	117¾@118	New	111¾@111¾
Do '62	116¾@116¾	Do '67	111¾@111¾
Do '64	115¾@115¾	Do '68	111¾@111¾
Do '65	115¾@115¾	10-40's	11[illegible]
Currency 6's 109¾@110			
W. U. Tel	32¾@	Pittsburgh	87¾@
Adms Ex	60¾@	N. Western	67¾@
Wells Exp	20 @	do preferred	81¾@
American	37 @	R. Island	101¾@
United States	50¾@	St Paul	71¾@
Pacific Mail	40¾@	do pf'd	86¾@
Erie	22¾@	Wabash	52 @
Harlem	136 @	do pf'd	— @
Reading	94¾@	Fort Wayne	87¾@
Mich. Central	117¾@	Terre Haute	24¾@
Illinois Cent	137¾@	Ohio & Missip'i	25 @
N. Y. C. scrip	101¾@	Hudson scrip	96¾@
Cl. & P.	[illegible]	Lake Shore	88¾@
N. W.	71 @	Erie	100¾@
pr'd	83¾@		

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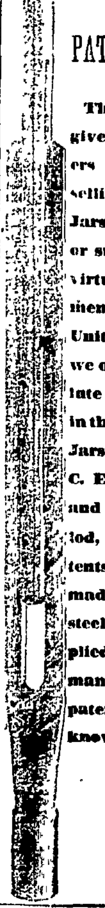

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The undersigned hereby give notice to manufacturers and parties making, selling or using Drilling Jars made of wrought iron or steel combined, that by virtue of certain assignments duly recorded at the United States Patent Office, we own the sole and absolute right, title and interest in three patents for Drilling Jars; one granted to James C. Eastman, in July, 1867, and two to Edward Guillod, in May, 1868; said patents covering all Jars made of wrought iron and steel combined, and applied substantially in the manner represented in said patents and generally known as steel jars.

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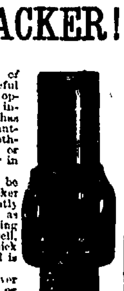

Every other Packer in Use has Fastened Strings of Tubing and Casing, so they cannot be Drawn From the Well.

3d. It is so constructed by means of a left hand screw thread that it can be loosened in a few minutes and removed from the well without difficulty. Even the caving in of the rock above the Packer will not prevent the casing being drawn out readily. It can be taken out and put back without repairs.

4th. This is the only Water Packer in use that has a Patent on, all others being an infringement upon the rights secured by letters Patent granted by the United States to Anson D. Griffin, August 13th, 1867. The Packer is now offered to the public at the low price of Twelve Dollars each, and the money will be refunded by us or our agents to all parties buying them where they do not give entire satisfaction.

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Owing to the large and increasing demand for the Roberts' Torpedoes, and the late decision of the Commissioner of Patents in refusing to Wm. Reed a patent, and the decision of Judge R. C. Grier sustaining the Roberts' patent, they have LOWERED the price of their Torpedoes

Twenty per Cent.,

so that every Operator can afford to try a Torpedo before abandoning a Well.

The following is the decision rendered by Judge Grier on the twenty-second (22d) day of September, 1869, in the United States Circuit Court at Philadelphia. The case was argued three days by Charles M. Keller of New York, B. F. Lucas and S. A. Purviance of Pittsburgh, for defendants, and George Harding of Philadelphia, and George H. Christy, of Pittsburgh, for plaintiff.

OPINION OF JUDGE GRIER.

As I write with difficulty I can only state the conclusions to which my mind has come after a careful examination of this case.

The complainant has exhibited a patent dated 25th April, 1865. This is prima facie evidence of a good title, and puts on the respondents the burthen of proof that the patent is void or worthless.

I need not repeat my remarks in the case of Goodyear vs. Day (2 Wall, C. C. Rep, 299), but now adopt them as affording a rule of decision which applies clearly to the present case.

As the infringement of the patent is admitted, the only question will be as to the validity of complainant's patent of April 25, 1865.

"It was after speculation had been reduced to practice," and after repeated experiments, that the complainant succeeded in overcoming the prejudice and ignorance of the people on the subject, and persuading the public that his invention was useful; after he had established its great utility and value, and "when his genius and patient perseverance, in spite of sneers and scoffs," were completely successful, that Reed, who had before made experiments on the same subject, and was wholly unsuccessful, imagined that he had the best right to the invention, and after purchasing one or more of complainant's torpedoes, he applied on the 1st of November, 1867, for a patent for substantially the same combination of devices or machines contained in complainant's patent. On the 15th of the same month the respondents formed themselves into a company or corporation called "The Reed Torpedo Company," for the purpose of pirating the complainant's invention and supporting the expense of litigation, and thus defraud him of its fruits. They have persevered, even after the preliminary injunction very properly granted by the District Judge.

Let a decree be entered for complainant for a perpetual injunction, and a Master appointed to take an account according to the prayer of the bill.

R. C. GRIER, Circuit Judge.

NOTE—The passage referred to by Judge Grier in his former decision, 2 Wallace, p. 299, adopted as applicable to this case, was as follows:

"It is usually the case, when any valuable discovery is made, or any new machine of great utility has been invented, that the attention of the public has been turned to that subject previously, and that many persons have been making researches and experiments. Philosophers and machanicians may have in some measure anticipated in their speculations the possibility or probability of such discovery or invention; many experiments may have been unsuccessfully tried, coming very near, yet falling short of the desired result. They have produced nothing beneficial. The invention when perfected, may truly be said to be the culminating point of many experiments, not only by the inventor, but by many others. He may have profited indirectly by the unsuccessful experiments and failures of others, but it gives them no right to claim a share of the honor of the profit of the successful inventor. It is when speculation has been reduced to practice, when experiment has resulted in discovery, and when that discovery has been perfected by patient and continued experiments, when some new compound, art, manufacture, or machine has been thus produced which is useful to the public, that the party making it becomes a public benefactor and entitled to a patent.

"And yet when genius and patient perseverence have at length succeeded, in spite of sneers and scoffs, in perfecting some valuable invention or discovery, how seldom is it followed by reward! Envy robs him of the honor, while speculators, swindlers, and pirates rob him of the profits. Every unsuccessful experimenter who did or did not come very near making a discovery now claims it. Every one who can invent an improvement or vary its form, claims a right to pirate the original discovery. We need not summon Morse, or Blanchard, or Woodworth to prove that this is the usual history of every great discovery or invention.

"The present case adds another chapter to this long and uniform history."—2 Wallace, C. C. Reports p. 299.

CAUTION.

The public is cautioned againt employing any but the regularly authorized Agents of the Company, since the Roberts Patents cover the use of the Torpedo and all explosive materials for oil Wells, and the use of such materials by other parties is a direct infringement of their rights. Any parties infringing any of the ROBERTS PATENTS will be dealt with according to law and as acting wilfully and knowingly in defiance of law and the decisions of the Courts.

The Company have re-organized their business with a view to accommodate Oil Men in every part of the Oil Regions. They have employed the most efficient Agents and Assistants that can be procured for the business. Each Torpedo is labelled with dates of Patents, together with the price of the Torpedo, and signed by an officer of the Company, so every Operator wishing a Torpedo may know its price and whether it came from our office.

Operators will confer a favor by reporting to this Office any negligence of Agents.

The following named persons have been appointed Agents and Assistant Agents for the Oil Regions of Pennsylvania and West Virginia.

LIST OF AGENTS.

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TITUSVILLE, CHURCH RUN AND VICINITY—H. H. THOMAS. Office and address, Mansion House, Titusville, Pa.

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TIDIOUTE AND WEST HICKORY—CHARLES CLARK. Office and address, Express Office, Tidioute, Pa. Assistant, E. C. Beardsley.

PETROLEUM CENTRE AND VICINITY—LEVI MASON. Office and address, Central House Petroleum Centre, Pa. Assistant, Charles Blackford.

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J. A. LOSEE.

Titusville, Dec. 29, 1869.

COPARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned having this day purchased the stock, good will, &c., formerly owned by J. A. Losee, in the general clothing, hats, caps, and gents' furnishing goods business, have formed a co-partnership under the firm name of McFarland, Smith & Co., and will continue the business at the old stand, corner of Spring and Franklin streets.

Outstanding accounts will be collected and adjusted by the new firm.

JOHN D. MCFARLAND,
EUGENE L. SMITH,
N. IRWIN SHUGERT.

Titusville, Pa., Dec. 29, 1869.

Titusville Morning Herald.

Wednesday, January 12, 1870.

New Advertisements To-Day.

Torpedoes—Tal P. Shaffner
Public Notice—John Meising.
A Practical Plumber—Edward Guilleod.
Marble Works—A. C. Bartholomew.
List of Letters—J. H. Cogswell
Upholstering—Thomas Brown.

Petroleum Producers' Association.

The regular monthly meeting of the managers will be held to-day at Oil City in the library room, Birdsell's block, on the arrival of the morning trains, Wednesday, Jan. 12, 1870.

HAYES, the artic explorer, is to deliver the next lecture

MRS STOWE's new book, "Lady Byron Vindicated," is for sale at Howe's P. O. news depot.

THE REV. WM. HOWELL TAYLOR, formerly of Titusville, has been installed pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Greenpoint, L. I.

IT is stated that the preliminaries are nearly completed for the commencement of some four hundred suits along the line of the Erie Railroad for alleged overcharges for transportation of freight.

A DRUNKEN man confined in the lock-up on Wednesday night broke from his cell, and then tore down the chimney, and smashed the stove to pieces. He did not, however, succeed in getting out of limbo.

DANGEROUS counterfeit fifty cent fractional currency notes of the new Lincoln vignette issue have just been put in circulation. The backs are very good but the faces of the notes look rather dark and blurred

ADVERTISING has created many a new business, has enlarged many an old business; has rescued many a lost business, has saved many a failing business; has preserved many a large business, and secured success in every business.

OBITUARY.—A little son of Mr H. B. Porter, aged three years, died of croup yesterday. The bereaved parents will receive the general sympathy in this sorrowful visitation. The funeral is to take place from the residence of the family on Main street, to-morrow at 10 a. m.

HON. ELIJAH RISLEY, one of the oldest residents of Chautauqua county, died suddenly at Fredonia, on Sunday last, in the 82nd year of his age. He was one of the earliest settlers of the county, and had held various and important offices, among which was representative in Congress during Mr. Filmore's administration

"GOOD WORDS"—We have received the January number of this admirable British monthly, which is now for the first time reprinted in this country, Lippincott, of Philadelphia, being the publisher It is edited by Rev. Dr. Norman Macleod, of Edinburgh, and its pages are statedly enriched by contributions from the ablest literary men of the Scottish and English churches. The number before us contains twenty-seven illustrations and a highly attractive table of contents. It can be obtained at Howe's.

U. S. COURT AT ERIE.—The *Dispatch* of yesterday reports Monday's proceedings as follows:

The jury in the case of the U. S. vs. John H. Wright, were charged by Judge McKennan, and after a short consultation, returned with a verdict of not guilty.

The prisoners convicted in the Moscow Post-office robbery case were called up for sentence, which was passed upon them by Judge McCandless.

Clarence M. Simpson, who turned State's evidence, and Wm. H. Yeager, a student, both young men, were lectured mildly and sentenced to two year's imprisonment each at hard labor in the Western Penitentiary, and to pay the costs of prosecution.

PRESBYTERIEN CHURCH — INSTALLATION AND DEDICATION SERVICES—The Presbytery of Meadville will meet at the First Presbyterian Church of this City, at half-past three o'clock this afternoon. The installation of the Pastor elect, Rev. Alexander Sinclair, will take place in the evening, commencing at 7 o'clock. Rev. D. A. Cunningham, of Philadelphia, will preach the installation sermon The charge to the people will be given by Rev. Mr. Craighead, of Meadville. The Church will be dedicated next Sunday morning. Sermon by the Pastor. Next Sunday evening, Rev. D. A. Cunningham will preach a sermon to young men. The community in general are cordially invited to attend the various services hereby announced.

By order of THE SESSION.

They have a prohibitory liquor law in Blairsville, passed by the Legislature two or three winters ago, and approved by a direct vote of the people. The law has been strictly enforced until recently, when several parties engaged in the hotel and saloon business concluded that they would defy it openly. For this they were indicted and tried at the December term of the Indiana County Court, the matter of course creating great interest and excitement. All who were indicted were convicted, and fined $1,400 in the aggregate, and five of them, including one woman, were sent to jail for fifty days each.

THE sweetest perfumes, the finest oils, the newest and best toilet articles, and the best stock of drugs in the market can be found at White & Co's.

The New County Question.

The Pittsburg *Gazette* seems to be terribly exercised lest the Republican party, as represented in the Legislature, at Harrisburg, should split in twain this winter and some offices and pet bills be lost in consequence. The *Gazette* puts forth the following solemn and formal programme of intrigue and sale.

I. *A large sum of money* estimated at $200,000, *more than half of which has been already raised,* is set apart for, primarily, the defeat of the Philadelphia police bill, and, secondarily, for the control of the Senate.

II. They offer to bring their fifty-four Democratic votes, in the joint convention of the two Houses, this week, *to the aid of thirteen Republican bolters,* if they can seduce so many, to defeat the regular nominee for Treasurer, and to elect Irwin, whose competition was blown up sky high in the caucus last week by the exposure of actual bribery attempted and probably consummated by one of his wealthy outside friends in his behalf!

III. They offer to guarantee, with the same Democratic aid, the success of a new county project which has been, for a year or two past, seeking the legislative countenance in the northwestern quarter of the State.

VI. They pledge themselves to give the same Democratic support to the proposition for a swindling raid upon the Sinking Fund of the Commonwealth, in the pretended interests of an enlargement of the Erie canal.

It further states—

It remains only to name the Senators upon whom the opposition are counting as their tools in the consumation of their schemes. They reckon on Morrow B. Lowry and James Kerr It is hinted that they also rely upon Esaias Billingfelt. We put these names on record, not because we are as yet fully satisfied on the clear grounds upon which their treachery, as alleged to be contemplated, is already pledged to the opposition, but because their names are thus used openly and generally, and at the most public places at the Capital, and throughout the Commonwealth.

We plead ignorance on most of the counts of this hydra-headed indictment. We don't pretend to be deep in these political secrets, but of this we are well aware, that Senator Lowry has our New County measure very much at heart; but we are not aware that it is in any sense a party measure. It is a public measure—a measure of public justice and utility. We cannot see why it is not just as much entitled to Democratic as to Republican support With us, party lines are dropped, and party shibboleths laid aside when the New County question comes up. Politics has nothing to do with it What this community desire is better facilities and more economy in the administration of the law, in the transaction of legal and public business. The discovery and the immense production of Petroleum in this section within the past ten years has, as everybody knows, who knows anything about it, changed the face of this whole country, and what we claim is that the Legislature should take cognizance of the fact that a new and flourishing city has sprung up here, a new centre established of population, wealth, manufactures, trade, and intelligence. The loss or defeat of this measure in Republican Legislatures for successive winters at Harrisburg has demoralized our party very much at home, and if such palpable injustice has demoralized our honorable Senator to such an extent that he is bidding for out side support, we should not be surprised in the least. But it seems to come with very ill grace from the *Gazette* to lecture Senator Lowry about giving aid and comfort to the enemy. We do not forget how the *Gazette* drummed Hon. B. F. Brewster out of Gov. Geary's Cabinet, and how it lets no occasion pass to assail and blackguard that eminent and worthy gentleman who, as the *Gazette* well knows is the personal friend of Senator Lowry. We suspect that if Senator Lowry is smashing things at Harrisburg it is because his ire is roused at what he esteems the gross insults put upon Mr. Brewster, rather than because he is impelled or induced to bolt from any other consideration, from any bargain, or from any expectation of reward. We agree with the *Gazette* that the New County bill ought to stand on its intrinsic merits, and we congratulate our people that the *Gazette* enrolls itself among the friends and supporters of that measure. Our cotemporary very justly says:

"This measure, considered in itself, is, as we think and last winter emphatically said, a meritorious one We assure its present friends that it will take but an hour or two's enquiry to satisfy any fair-minded man that the project is really more certain of success foretained and promoted under the auspices of an unbroken Republican majority, than under any other conditions Under such auspices, the measure is, if we are not misinformed, quite certain to have a fair hearing, with every chance of success in its favor."

We hope the bill may pass, we say, on its own merits, and we are not so bigoted but that we shall give Democrats their meed of praise for supporting the measure. Mr. Lowry is a very independent sort of man. We don't know how many times "he has been consigned to private life" by those who dislike his course, nor how many times even the Republican masses have been invoked "to overwhelm" him, but he still lives, capable still of much good, not a little mischief, exciting alike solicitude and consternation. We hope the *Gazette,* in the interest of a harmonious party, will let his friend Brewster alone, and then it may keep Senator Lowry on the right track.

Letter from Hickory.

HICKORY, PA., Jan. 10, 1870.

Editors Morning Herald.

The holidays are passed, and Hickory jogs along to the tune of "Let the Wide World Wag as it Will," &c. There being no direct traveling communication with the outside world, excepting through pipe lines at fifty cents per barrel, the place is not visited by the traveling public to any great extent. Of course the steep ascents and rugged cliffs are no barriers to oil men, as the increasing business of the place indicates. We can produce as much wild, picturesque scenery to the acre as any of our neighboring towns, and that it is, also, prolific of the oleaginous fluid is being demonstrated conclusively.

The Cardiff Giant, Suez Canal, and other numerous sensations have little effect on us Hickory denizens, though the attempted "oil corner" is a subject of comment

Another well on the Warren & Ven. Oil Co.'s land has been struck since my last letter, and is pumping 10 barrels. It is owned by Treville & Co. A big dry well has recently been struck on this farm, on what is known as "Wild Cat" territory.

There has not been a dry hole east of the Creek, and only two good wells west of it.—This is a torpedo territory, and a well is most sure to double and even threble after a "blowing up." If we had had the torpedoing that your city received a few weeks ago, I am not sure but that Hickory would "flow."

There are two things we need—a greater competition in oil buying, and a set of land owners that are a little more generous, or, at least, not quite so extortionate. If the present high royalty that is asked is lowered to a living rate, I predict a vigorous campaign next season, also a successful one.

Yours, B. S.

The Zahniser school house, in Lake, Mercer county, was burned down on the night of December 27th. The fire was first discovered between seven and eight o'clock, and the citizens in that section express themselves confident that it was set on fire purposely. This is the second school house that has been fired within the past two weeks in that county.

Hydetown.

Editors Morning Herald:

The third lecture of our winter's course will be given on Friday evening, Jan. 14th, at the assembly room of the school building, by C. S. Wilson, Esq., of Corry. His subject will be: "Good and Evil."

These lectures thus far have been well attended, and all our people seem interested as well as profited thereby. This enterprise bespeaks the public spirit of our citizens, which cannot fail to work out a benefit to all.

The next session of the "Oil Creek District Teachers' Institute" will be held at Tryonville on Saturday, Jan. 22d. Teachers and others interested in such an enterprise are respectfully invited and urged to be present, and benefit themselves and their schools by such an association. It has long been a settled axiom in this county that a teacher who can, and *will not,* attend an institute when held within his immediate vicinity, is not possessed of the right "mettle" for a teacher, and the sooner he is out of the profession the better.

Respectfully yours, OIL CREEK.

Petrolia.

Cor. of Springfield Republican.

Tidioute, Pleasantville, Shamburg and Oil City are the four principal oil centres now, though there are a great many farms and isolated localities in which oil is produced. Tidioute has been from the first a steady and reliable point. Dennis Run is a ravine 450 feet deep, and wide enough at the bottom for a wagon road All through this ravine, and at the sides of it, at the rate of four to the acre, stand the monumental derricks. Adjoining each is a shanty, which serves for an engine-house, puffing and smoking like a steam tug. Connected with each engine-house and derrick is a long, stout walking-beam. These beams are bobbing up and down, night and day, the year through, pumping oil. It is a curious sight to see with what varying energy they bob. The daily production of Dennis Run is now 300 barrels, a barrel being 42 gallons, The wells at the bottom of the run have to be drilled from 150 to 200 feet deep before reaching the "third sand," as it is called, in which the oil is found. As you ascend the bluff they must be proportionately deeper, so that those on top are very nearly 700 feet deep.

The rock in which the oil is found is a coarse, gray sand or gravel. The coarser it is the better, for then it is said to be loose, because the oil freely percolates through it into the slender well, while it is said to be "tight" if too fine, and you have to labor hard for a medium of oil. The wells are usually five and a quarter inches in diameter, and are drilled by the same machinery, pretty much, that afterwards pumps the well, that is to say, the walking-beam and engine. The drill consists of four parts: the bits which drill the earth and rock, the drilling rod and a pair of jars. A pair of jars struck me as a new idea Most people—out of the oil regions—imagine an earthen pot for pickles or butter; but that is a delusion. The pair of jars is a couple of irons locked together in such a manner as to admit of a sliding movement Without this simple invention, drilling with such heavy tools as fifty feet of four inch iron and steel, would be impossible. Every time the drill was let fall it would stick in the mud and clay. Everybody knows how little force it takes to jar a thing loose, when perhaps a span of horses couldn't pull it loose. The genius who invented the jars embodied that brilliant idea in cold iron, and now by that simple apparatus the pondrous drills are broken of their hold with every uplifting of the walking-beam. A rope cable, from what is called the "bull wheel," is allowed to pay out as the drills descend into the ground, and as long as cables can be made so long deep wells can be drilled The cost of putting down a well with first-class machinery and casting is about $4,000; but should the bole prove a dry one, as they say, when they have drilled the usual depth without finding the third sand, the machinery can be moved to another place, but they will have spent $1,000 or $1,500. With no mishaps it takes two months to put down a well. If your tools get stuck, as they will sometimes, by the breaking of the cable, then another set of drills must be put on, and these must be pounded up like the rock, which is a very slow and discouraging operation. Hundreds and thousands of derricks stand as monuments over the country to fortunes gone in the futile attempt to get oil. If I could have the money that has been expended by Eastern capitalists to get oil land and to drill wells, I would gladly let somebody else have all that has been made from petroleum. And yet I am informed that not a single person who went into the oil business and who has stuck to it, but has made money.

State News.

A pet anaconda at the Lehigh University has died from the bite of a rat which was thrown to it for food.

Forty-six barrels of whisky were sold in the city of Lancaster, a few days since, by General Gregory, Marshal of the Eastern District of this State, for seventy-six cents a gallon, tax included.

On Monday last the workmen at the Allentown Iron Works were notified that a reduction of their wages would be made on and after that day. The announcement was not received with favor by the employees, and the whole number, with very few exceptions, quit work. They demand a continuance of the old wages.

The Teachers' Institute of Fayette county met in the Court House, in Uniontown, during the holidays. The attendance was good, and the interest on the part of the citizens was remarkable. Prof. R. H. Fulton, of Pittsburgh, Higgis, of York, Miller, of Waynesburg, and Duncan, of Bridgeport, delivered lectures, which were highly appreciated, and Mrs Shoemaker gave a creditable and pleasing reading entertainment. Prof. Fulton presented very eloquently the philosophy of the present plan of education in our public schools, which is doing so much now for our State.

H man named Mowry, a provision dealer in Warren, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head with a revolver on Monday last. Financial trouble, it is supposed, was the cause of his self-destruction.

Three sudden deaths in Mercer county are reported within two weeks. Mr. John De France, aged between seventy and eighty, while dressing for church, on the 26th ult., fell from his chair and expired almost immediately. Mr. Koon, of Pymatuning township, while returning from a visit to his son on the 3d inst., fell from his horse and died instantly.—Mr. Peter Barnes, of Greenville, while visiting his barn on New Year's night, fell dead. All of these deaths are said to have been caused by apoplexy.

PNEUMATIC DISPATCHING.—A *Sun* reporter has gained access to that mysterious tunnel under the streets of New York, which has hitherto excited the ungratified curiosity of the metropolis, It is held that the opening of this railway will revolutionize the entire system of transportation now in use in the city. The tunnel starts at the corner of Broadway and Warren street, and the route surveyed is fourteen miles in length. Branches will be made to all central points, such as post and telegraph offices, ferries, hotels, newspaper offices, &c. Regarding the success of this project, its originators are most sanguine. It has a number of successful precedents.

An exchange says: The first experiment in pneumatic dispatches was made at Batterson Fields, near London, in 1861. Then followed the successful London and Croydon Pneumatic railway, Whitehall Pneumatic railway and others in England and different parts of Germany. It is believed that the road now in process of construction under Broadway, can easily transfer messages and packages from one part of the city to another, at a speed of one hundred miles an hour. The advantages in point of economy and facility that would result from such a means will transfer are not easy of estimation. When the route is once completed, but little capital will be necessary to keep it in running order. The mechanism to be employed is of the simplest description. The car, in effect, is a piston, moving within the tube. Its velocity is in proportion to the degree of atmospheric pressure, which is produced by means of a fan or blower, operated by means of a stationary steam engine. A car, a tube, a fan—that is all. It would seem to us like a chimera, had it not been in practical operation in England for seven years. The pneumatic railway is the fit sister of the telegraph. Invention stops at nothing in our day.

An Interesting Record.

The following is a detailed record of well No. 12, on the territory of the Pittsburgh and Cherry Run Petroleum Company, situate in Venango county, about midway between the Allegheny river and Titusville—six miles north of the Allegheny river—and furnished to the authors of Petrolia by Dr. Shamburg. We reproduce it as a good specimen of the manner of keeping a record as well as for the valuable light of experience which it sheds.

RECORD.

38 feet, depth of driving pipe.
38 feet, soft slate rock.
70 feet, first sand rock.
71 feet, water crevice.
91 to 112 feet, crevices.
130 feet, through fine white sand rock, 60 feet thick
132 feet, gray sandrock, bluish cast.
152 feet, passed through same, 20 feet thick.
153 feet, slate rock; good drilling to 245 feet.
245 to 256 feet, hard, dark slate and to 278 feet.
278 feet, hard pebble and shell, 18 inches thick.
280 to 289 feet hard gray and slate.
289 feet, second sand rock, hard pebble, 11 feet thick.
300 feet, sand, bluish cast, white pebbles 5 1-2 feet thick.
305 1-2 feet, gray and white shells for 0 1-2 feet.
338 to 440 feet, blue and sandy rock mixed with slate.
420 to 480 feet, blue and red rock shell, 15 feet thick
520 feet, third sand; very hard; white and yellow pebbles; 10 feet thick.
530 feet, mud vein.
545 feet *through third sand,* 35 feet thick two crevices, and gas very strong.
545 to 575 feet, blue sand and slate to 605 feet.
608 feet, hard shell, 2 feet thick.
610 to 736 feet, blue slate.
936 feet, hard, white sand, mixed with pebble; hard shell, 4 to 5 feet thick.
740 feet, top of fourth sand.
618 to 554 feet, hard pebble.
654 feet, large gas vein and show of oil.
655 feet, bad mud vein.
669 feet, through fourth sand, 28½ feet thick.
745 feet, slate; hard shell 6 inches thick.
745 to 748 feet, hard slate.
748 feet, hard shell, yellow pebble, and good gas vein.
750 feet, slate rock
768 feet, slate and hard shell.
776 feet. top of fifth sand.
776 to 778 feet, pebble rock, open and porous
778 feet, crevice, gas vein, and good show of oil.
781 feet, rock becomes darker.
783 feet, dark rock, gassy.
784 feet, porous rock.
793 feet, white and yellyw pebble, crevice oil and gas.
794 feet, white rock, coarse and porous
806 feet, mud vein.
828 to 830 feet, white and yellow pebble.
830 feet, hard, close white sand.
834 feet, slate and sand mixed, to 835 feet, bottom of well, which is one of the best producing in that territory.

A Petition from the Pennsylvania Iron Men.

The following petition has been forwarded to Washington. It is signed by the largest manufacturers of iron in Pennsylvania, and controverts the absurd theories advanced by Commissioner Wells in his late report:

To the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States in Congress assembled:

In the late report of the Hon David A Wells, Special Commissioner of the Revenue, the following paragraph appears:

"In the valley of the Cumberland, and in the anthracite districts of Pennsylvania, and at Scranton, the Commissioner is informed by those conversant with the business, that the average cost of manufacture in the case of furnaces favorably situated, under good management, and with coal at ordinary prices, is not in excess of from $24 to $26 per ton, and in some instances is much less than this figure. These estimates, furthermore, it should be observed, include a liberal interest on the capital invested, which is turned on an average from two to three times per annum."

Your memorialists, representing thirty-seven furnaces in the Lehigh, Schuylkill and Susquehana regions, producing annually, in the aggregate, over 270,000 tons of pig iron, respectfully express their belief, based upon personal knowledge, that the above statement of the Commissioner will be found, upon a critical examination, erroneous, and, accepted by Congress, a most dangerous guide to legislation. Upon the authority of our personal knowledge, we beg leave to state that the average cost per ton at the furnaces we represent, exclusive of any interest on capital and the expenses of moving product from the furnaces, in the year 1868, was $29.10 1-4, and in the first six months of 1869, $29.63, while we believe the cost for the last six months will not materially vary therefrom—these prices being the average cost of the product, embracing the three qualities of iron, viz: Nos 1, 2 and 3

We respectfully express the conviction that the foregoing average cost of the product of the furnaces we represent is below the average cost of the product of American furnaces collectively, it being our belief that we represent interests having important economical advantages.

In view of the foregoing statement we respectfully ask, as an act of justice to the Commissioner, to the producer of American pig iron, to the public and its representatives in Congress, that you will make a special and searching inquiry for the data on which the Commissioner has based his statements, and into the accuracy of our statements as above, that the truth may be made public, and error, however strongly endorsed, be effectually confuted.

Hotel Arrivals.

CRITTENDEN HOUSE, TUESDAY, JAN. 14, 1870.

G W DeCamp, Pitts	J D Nicholas, Meadville
G W Waters, Corry	M R Daly, do
J R Taylor, Phila	Mrs H V Foreman, O City
E P Demil, Albany	Miss Foreman, do
John Davidson, N Y	G H Gilson, Phila
M C Johns, do	C A Cleary, do
H W Wallace, Phila	G M Dunn, do
H B Husling, Troy	D Orr, Warren
O B Haskins, Red Hot	Miss Haskins, Pleas'ville
F W Huldekoper, Mead'le	J S McDodald, Brooklyn
C R Collins, Rouseville	W P Stowell, Dawson f'm
M Donovan, Rochester	L Hubbard, Buffalo
W A Hurd, Buffalo	P H French, do
J B Guthrie, Pitts	A S Wadsworth, Roch'ter
J W Ormsby & w, Erie	B F Freeman, do
C W King, do	F E Rhodes, Batavia
M H Hooley, Cleveland	C P Darwin, do
E McDermott, N City	M C Babcock, N Y
H Vleigh N Y	F A Daniels, do
D Goodale, do	F O Fitch, do
M A White, Pet Centre	A Castle, city
D W Longwell, dO	M C Gould, Kerch farm
A B Adams, N Y	H C Hoover, N Y
M R Richards, do	

AMERICAN HOTEL, TUESDAY, JAN. 11, 1870.

N C Clark, Pleas'ville	J H Smith, Franklin
W S Williams, Tarr fm	W Henlon, Sharon
C C Conover, Troy	G M Griffin, Shamburg
H H Curtis & d, Shamb'g	H M Dale & w, do
A S McCormick & l, do	W S Bawn, do
T H Walker & l, do	A Ledshone, Pleas'ville
H A Hutchins, Cleveland,	D Laughlin, do
S P Day & w, Morey farm	O R Seymour, do
J Bushnell, O City	C A Hinkley, Pithole
H Hill, Akron	B Mills, city
L Emery, jr, Pioneer,	R B Magee & l, O City
T B Montgomery, Pleas'le	D G Hart & w, Pithole
R J Straight, dp	S Hooker, Shamburg
H W Arnold, Shamburg	P Caroll, do
S R Brewer, do	J Ratcliff, Cincinnati
T H Allen, Corry	R C McPerson, Buffalo
J W Higgins, N Y	H W Downs, do
J W Ormby & w, Erie,	J W Jenkins, city
G P Taylor, do	R W Hathrook, Pleas'le
J A Wilcox & w, Shamburg	S A Barns, do
T C Spencer, Franklin	T Buckley, city
S L Mitchell, do	W W Nicholas, Pleas
J J Van Iercript, O City	A B Bliss, do
J R Campbell, do	J P Newell, Franklin
J C Tyson, Rouseville	M L Sweeney, city
F Reese, do	J Satterfield, Pleas'ville
W S Hoyt, Bean farm	J S Mills, Bean farm
Wm Harworth, do	A W Burlin, do
J G Lail, do	J Peat, do
W A McConnell, do	A D Taylor, Pet Centre
B C Hovey, do	W Haldeman, O City
L L Shattuck, do	R E Gale, do
G W DeCamp, Pitts	M R Vernon, Shamburg
A G Coats, Troy N Y	G W Allen, Auburn
H Smith, N Y	W J Royle, Red Hot
J F McPherson, Pa	S Sheegle,
T Wright, Lock Haven	B Vaughan, Boston

DIED.

PORTER.—On Tuesday, Jan. 11, at 10 a. m., of Croup, FRANKIE B. PORTER, son of H. B. and M. A. Porter, aged three years.

Funeral at the house on Thursday next, at 10 a. m. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

WINES AND CORDIALS FOR THE HOLIDAYS. Over two thousand (2,000) bottles champagne wine, cider and cordials, at the old stand of H. I. Hershburg, a few doors west of Second National Bank, Spring street, Titusville, Pa.

CURTISS & CO.

LOCAL NOTICES.

RUSS & DAVIDSON are closing out their stock of Furniture and Carpets at bargains.

White Clover Honey in small boxes at DOTY & SEELY'S.

PROMENADE SOIREE.—There will be given a Promenade Soiree at Corinthian Hall, Titusville, on Friday evening, January 14th, 1870. Honorary Committee—Chas. Castle, Titusville; Chas Tripp, do; Frank Arcutt, do; Thos. Crocker, do; John Graham, Oil City; Robert Fairchild, Pet. Centre; Ed. Sutherland, do. Floor Managers—Wm. Dillon, Mike Goodwin, Fred. Hoffer. Music—Spencer's full Quadrille Band. Tickets $2.00.

NO CURE! NO PAY!—MCDONALD'S TOLU COUGH SYRUP.—This invaluable preparation is prepared from a private receipt of a celebrated and distinguished physician in England, and far excels any which has hitherto been offered in this country, for the relief and cure of coughs, colds, asthma, consumption, influenza, difficulty of breathing, spitting of blood, irritation of the throat, pain in the chest, hoarseness, and all Pulmonary Affections, however long they may have been established. Dose—A teaspoonful after each meal and on going to bed. Children half the quantity. Prepared and sold only by M. A. McDonald, next door to American Hotel.

ON and after this date for sixty days we offer the usual inducements in the way of low prices to close out the balance of our winter stock. FUNK, JACKSON & FULLER.

ISHAM has a new lot of diamonds.

PIPES, TOBACCO, snuff and match boxes, sigar stands and cases, in endless variety at Broas's

PEARL, ivory and shell card cases, at ISHAM'S.

MESSRS SINK & POMEROY have just started a stage line running between this city and Shamburg, via Red Hot Their stages make two trips per day, leaving the American Hotel at 8:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m.; returning, leave Shamburg at 11:00 a. m. and 4:30 p m

THE Lady Elgin watch, at ISHAM'S.

GENUINE imported Partagas, large and small size, at BROAS'.

SPLENDID New Year's presents for gentlemen at Broas's.

WE are now closing out the balance of our winter stock at cost. FUNK, JACKSON & FULLER

RUSS & DAVIDSON are closing out their stock of Furniture and Carpets at bargains.

THE celebrated Golden Chewing Tobacco at BROAS'.

WE are now closing out the balance of our winter stock at cost. FUNK, JACKSON & FULLER.

ALL the best brands of smoking at HILLS.

WE are now closing out the balance of our winter stock at cost. FUNK, JACKSON & FULLER.

HILLS keeps the best fine-cut chewing.

THE genuine E. Howard Watch. All styles of cases. Give us a call. Castle Bros.

THE finest cigars are sold by HILLS

WE are now closing out the balance of our winter stock at cost. FUNK, JACKSON & FULLER.

AUCTION SALE.—The subscriber will sell at public aution, Thursday, Jan. 20th, at 2 o'clock, p. m the large warehouse on Mechanic street with lot in fee 60x190, running from street to railroad, favorably located for wholesale flour and feed and ample room for coal and lumber trade Terms made known on day of sale For further particulars inquire on premises of J. A. Scott.

RUSS & DAVIDSON are closing out their stock of Furniture and Carpets at bargains

LEO, Espanola, La Pretenceon, Infant No Name, Flor de Santiago, Corona de Espana Savannella, Figaro, Victoria de Solar, and other brands of cigars, at Broas'.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY. — Five hundred persons to buy some of the finest diaries in the city, at low prices, all styles and quality. For sale at Esler's Variety Store.

RUSS & DAVIDSON are closing out their stock of Furniture and Carpets at bargains.

SOLACE Tobacco at BROAS'

BARGAINS in Dry Goods at R. D. FLETCHER'S.

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MYERS has an immense stock of Chestnut and painted bedroom sets very cheap.

THE E. Howard Waltham Watch Co., Elgin and U. S. Watch Co's. watches, at ISHAM'S.

MYERS has reduced the prices on all kinds of furniture.

SCHOOL BOOKS at the lowest prices, at HURD'S.

RUSS & DAVIDSON are closing out their stock of Furniture and Carpets at bargains.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.—The best selected stock of gift and miscellaneous books, games &c., to be found in the city, at Hurd's.

NEW publications received as soon as published, by Hurd.

WE are now closing out the balance of our winter stock at cost. FUNK, JACKSON & FULLER.

LATEST New York, Cleveland, and Pittsburgh dailies, magazines, &c., at Hurd's

WE are now closing out the balance of our winter stock at cost. FUNK, JACKSON & FULLER.

MYERS has enlarged his Furniture Ware Rooms

MYERS now employs 25 men manufacturing Furniture, thereby saving heavy freight and a manufacturer's profit.

CARPETS, oil cloths, mats, matting, hassaks and druggets, at FUNK, JACKSON & FULLER'S.

SHOW cases for sale at RICE'S.

CATTLE TIES, at Gardner's Good's Block, Franklin street.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Torpedoes—Nitro-Glycerin—Electricity.

The public, and particularly those interested in oil wells and blasting, are hereby informed that the exclusive right to use Nitro-Glycerin in all wells for torpedoing and blasting the said wells, and the exclusive right to use Electricity for exploding torpedoes in oil wells, have been licensed to the Roberts Torpedo Company.

The patents for the use of Nitro-Glycerin for any and all kinds of blasting, in rock or in oil wells, or for torpedoing the same, are owned by the United States Blasting Oil Company, and leased to the Nitro-Glycerin Company of New York. The same company has the exclusive patents for blasting Nitro-Glycerin with electricity, and all other known modes of exploding it.

The undersigned, personally, in 1868, obtained several letters patent for the exclusive right to blast Nitro-Glycerin, Gun Powder, Gun Cotton, and all other explosive substances, by electricity, made by any and all kinds of electric batteries, in oil wells. These patents are licensed to the Roberts Torpedo Company.

The undersigned has been informed, and believes that divers and sundry persons are violating the patents above referred to, in and about the oil regions of Pennsylvania, under the instigation of George M. Mowbray and his confederates. That they are torpedoing oil wells with Nitro-Glycerin manufactured by the said Mowbray and his confederates, at or near Painesville, Ohio, under the name of the Lake Shore Nitro-Glycerin Company; that they are bringing the said Nitro-Glycerin into the oil regions for the purpose of blasting; and further the undersigned has been informed, and verily believes, that the said Mowbray and his confederates have been and are using and blasting rock and torpedoing oil wells, in violation of the patents granted to him, the undersigned, by the United States government, for blasting rock and oil wells with electricity.

Now this is to give the said Mowbray and his confederates, and all others concerned, notice that unless they give satisfactory assurances that they will desist from violating any and all of the aforesaid patents, and also give a full account of moneys received by said violation acts and doings, and pay the said moneys to the order of the undersigned, on or before the 14th day of January, 1870, suits will be commenced and prosecuted with all possible energy against all and severally the said Mowbray and confederates, and also the owners of the rock, works and oil wells blasted or torpedoed by the said Mowbray and confederates.

The undersigned desires to inform the proprietors of oil wells, whether land or working interest, employing the said Mowbray and his confederates, that they will be looked to as the responsible offenders in the violation of the patents aforesaid, and that they must not expect to escape by the employment of irresponsible persons to torpedo their wells, as the patent laws hold responsible as offenders, all persons who receive benefit by the said torpedoes.

This notice is hereby given by the undersigned in his own behalf, as patentee of electrical blasting, and as President of the United States Blasting Oil Company, and of the Nitro-Glycerin Company of the City of New York. TAL. P. SHAFFNER.

Titusville, Jan 12, 1870.-tf

A Cough, Cold or Sore Throat.

BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES

Requires immediate attention, as neglect often results in an incurable Lung Disease. BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES will most invariably give instant relief. For Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh, Consumptive and Throat Diseases they have a soothing effect. Singers and public Speakers use them to clear and strengthen the voice.

Owing to the good reputation and popularity of the Troches, many worthless and cheap imitations are offered, which are good for nothing. Be sure to OBTAIN the true

Brown's Bronchial Troches,

SOLD EVERYWHERE.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

This is to give notice that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my son, Peter Meising.

JOHN MEISING.

Titusville, Jan. 12, 1870.-3t

A PRACTICAL PLUMBER,

Now located in Buffalo, would engage in business in Plumbing and Steam Fitting with a party with capital. Address EDWARD GUILLEOD, at Bryan & Dillingham's Iron Works, for information.

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TITUSVILLE MARBLE WORKS.

A. C. BARTHOLOMEW, Spring street, between Perry and Monroe, dealer in Italian and American Marble Monuments and Tombstones, Marble and Slate Mantles, Bureau and Table Tops, &c. Particular attention will be paid to removing stains, and repolishing marble that has been in use.

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LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING

uncalled for in the Titusville Post Office. Persons enquiring for them will call for letters advertised in the MORNING HERALD of

January 12th, 1870.

Adams, B C	Lanegan, John
Bakeley, Col	Laing, Mrs J H
Brown, Miss Lotta	Leonard, W T
Brown, David P	Morris, Mrs Samuel
Baker, J O	Morris, William
Beebe, Master B D	Marden, F B
Barrett, Miss Nella	Megham, Frank
Brown, Miss Nellie E	Merrick, B F
Boylen, P W	Morris, Mrs Bell
Breed, Mrs Maria	Mook, Miss Ad la
Clark, B C & Co	McKay, Miss Kate
Curtis, John S	Newton, Mrs S J
Colin, Mahlon	O'Donnell, Francis
Dalton, Miss E E	Phillips, Catharine
Day, Miss Lanny	Power, Mrs Henriett
Dunbar, H H	Four, Richard
France, Christoph	Pierce, J
Fulton, Mrs Ellen	Pendleton, Maria
Fetter & Goldhart	Pacey, Matt D E
Frazer, Mrs Mary	Pollock, Samuel
Gotthann, Henry	Payne, T
Gray, Marshall J	Quinotey, Lewis
Gallegher, Thomas	Reese, Eugene M
Hampton, Mark J	Roberts, Miss Frank
Herschz, Miss Maria	Robbins, Dr N
Hull, Theodore F	Rogers, Will
Harris, W B & Bro	Steyens, Chas
Highland, Mrs Agnes	Sherman, Mrs H B
Hill, Chas W	Snow, Miss Desire
Haley, Miss Ellen A	Sprolls, Mrs Louisa
Harvey, Miss Ellen	Smith, Mrs Mary
Hayes, Flavius F	Sherkey, Mrs Maggie
Hard, Gilbert E	Strain, M
Herrick, George	Secondgost, Phillip
Hathaway, Mrs Henrietta F	Smith & Foster
	Shoafstall, Mrs Sarah
Hanpolcht, John	Tripp, Add S
Harris, Minnie	Wolverton, E
Kellogg, George H	Walker, Isaac
Kunn, Jacob	Weeden, Miss Ida
Keina, Peater	Wheelock, J M
Kendricks, Phenix	Welhelm, W H

J. H. COGSWELL, Postmaster.

Upholstering, &c.

MR. THOMAS BROWN,

Would respectfully announce to the citizens of Titusville and vicinity, that he has opened a shop for Upholstering work of all kinds; also Carpet Laying, etc. All orders proptly attended, to. Mr. Brown's shop is in connection with J. E. HOLLEY, Cabinet Maker, corner of Spring and Martin streets jan14-tf

BOARDERS WANTED.

Three or four persons can find board in a private family, on Spring street, near depot. Enquire at HERALD office, or address Box 650, Titusville, Pa.

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WANTED.

By a young man just from Canada, a situation as CLERK in a grocery and provision store. Can keep books if necessary. Good references given Address for one week, EUGENE DWYER, Box 183, Titusville, Pa.

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BNAI GEMILAS CHESED!

This HEBREW POLISH CONGREGATION have bought a lot on Martin street, in Titusville, and propose to erect a Synagogue as soon as they can raise the sum of $5,000. They appeal to the generous and benevolent people of the Oil Regions to assist them with contributions to carry forward the work.

M. CROOK, President,
M. J. MARKS, Vice Pres.

J. Davis,
M. Marks, Trustees.
A. Bernstein,

Titusville, Jan. 11, 1870 dtf.

FOR SALE.

One Eagle Iron Works, 25 Horse-Power Engine and Boiler, new, $2,000.

One Bryan, Dillingham & Co. 12 H. P. Stationary Boiler, nearly new, $600.

One Bryan, Dillingham & Co. 12 H. P. Portable Boiler, nearly new, $650.

One Buffalo Engine and Boiler, in good order, $900.

One Wallace 12 H. P. Engine, in good order, $600.

One Wallace 15 H. P. Boiler, in good order, $600.

R. W. TEMPLE, Mansion House, Titusville.

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AMUSEMENTS.

DR. HOFFMAN'S MUSEUM!

OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE.

Open Every Day and Evening!!

To be seen at all hours, Madame Holland, the American Bearded Lady, who has a luxuriant growth of beard; the Talking Pig, Tom Thumb; Baby Giantess, only nine years old and weighs 265 pounds; wonderful Performing Dogs and Monkeys, Australian Talking Bird, show together with ten cages of animals and birds.

Admission 25 cents; children 15 cents.

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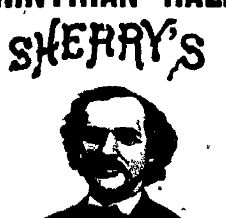
CORINTHIAN HALL.

SHERRY'S



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Miscellaneous.

Almost any good looking man will sit for his picture, but very few like to be drawn as jurors

An Iowa paper advertises for a girl to learn the printing trade, who will wear pants and saw wood

Game is very abundant in Nevada. The principal varieties are seven up, poker, faro keno and prairie chickens

The logging teams in the woods in the vicinity of Machias, Me, are having a hard time No snow, out of hay, lakes and streams all open

A son of the late Charles Swain founder of the Philadelphia Ledger will start a new daily morning paper in Philadelphia about the 1st of April

A man in Trempealeau county, Wis, in eating cold slaw last week swallowed a needle It was pulled out at the back of his neck three or four days after

There are great numbers of people out of employment at Montreal The houses of industry and refuge are full, and there are numerous applicants for charity

A fat French lady despairingly says "I am so fat that I pray for a disappointment to make me thin No sooner does the disappointment come than the mere expectation of growing thinner gives me such joy that I become fatter than ever"

Lord C——, whose popularity was not excessive in the Scotch town of A—— having refused an importunate beggar, she renewed her application with "Now, my lord, if ye'll just give me a wee little sixpence, I could treat every man ye have in the town"

Every citizen of France aged 21 years has a right to address petitions to the Senate and the average number presented each session is 600 The majority of them are grotesque There was one last year in favor of a tax on bachelors and one her praying that all the new born children might be tattooed at the Mairie with a secret number so as to facilitate their identification in the event of their turning out criminals

Dr G—— of Sycamore Ill riding in the country one day saw a sign upon a gate post reading thus "This farm for sale" Stopping his horse he hailed a little old woman, who stood on tip-toe hanging out clothes "I say madam, which is the farm going to sale?" "Just a stone, sir," replied the old lady placing her thumb to her nose, "as anybody comes along who can raise the wind" The doctor drove thoughtfully on.

Owing to the unusually mild winter, a heavier grape crop is anticipated for next season in California than has ever before been known More vines will be planted this season than in any previous three years combined

One French newspaper gives the man who sends it the best list of subscribers a case of champagne another gives a revolver a third promises a gold watch to the man who reads its columns through every day but has had no candidates yet

Two little Milwaukee boys who black boots throughout the day and sell papers in the evening cleared enough during the past season to purchase a $1,000 homestead for their parents

The peasant girls of France are no longer able to meet the great demand for false hair by the sale of their tresses and the men have taken to cultivating their beards to make up the deficiency

Judge Grier late of the United States Supreme Court was once trying a case in Pennsylvania A blundering jury returned an unjust verdict. As the Clerk turned to record it Judge Grier said "Mr Clerk record that verdict set aside by the Court It is as well the understand that in this State it takes thirteen men to steal a man's farm"

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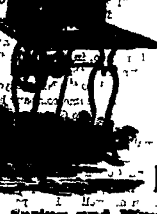

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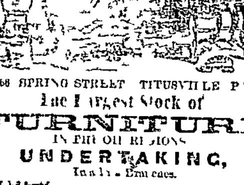

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